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[DISPATCHES TO THE OREGONIAN.]

DATES TO MARCH 24.

Congressional.

WASHINGTON, March 23.—In the Senate, Anthony was chosen President *pro tem* in the absence of Colfax.

The bill to repeal the Tenure of Office bill was recommitted to the Judiciary Committee.

The joint resolution to continue the pay of enlisted soldiers at $16 a month till July, 1871, was referred to the Military Committee.

The bill authorizing the payment of interest on the public debt, passed.

The bill reorganizing the Judiciary system was taken up.

Williams moved to postpone it to the next session. Rejected 11 to 44.

Several amendments were offered and rejected and bill passed.

The Committee made a number of reports, including the bill to abolish the office of Chief of Staff to the General of the Army. They reported unfavorably on the bill allowing Deputy Collectors the same pay as Collectors while performing their duties. Adjourned.

In the House bills were introduced and referred.

Poland reported bill extending the time for revising and consolidating the statutes to three years. After some criticism as to the manner in which the work has hitherto been done, the bill passed.

Several Senate resolutions were appropriately referred.

The resolution renewing the light houses on the Oregon coast, was passed.

A lengthy debate occurred on the Senate joint resolution in relation to the Burlington and Missouri river railroad branch of the Union Pacific railroad.

Logan commented sharply on the fact that the resolution had been considered by the Committee on Public Lands, instead of the Pacific Railroad Committee. The previous question on the passage of the bill was not seconded and the bill was referred to the Pacific Railroad Committee.

The Senate resolution for a joint special Committee on the removal of disabilities was reported.

Butler moved non concurrence on the ground that the Senate had since appointed a special Committee of its own. He said he hoped within a day or two to report a general law by which men should have their political disabilities removed without applying to Congress. The resolution was non-concurred in.

House adjourned.

Washington News.

WASHINGTON, March 22.—The Republican Senators were in caucus two hours this forenoon, and about the same time this afternoon.

Conkling's proposition to suspend the tenure of office act four years was discussed with much animation. Several Senators declared they would not be bound by the action of the caucus and retired from the room.

Edmunds subsequently offered a resolution that the act ought not to be repealed. This also occasioned a lively debate.

The caucus finally adopted a resolution that the bill, with pending amendments in session, be recommitted to the Committee on Judiciary, with a view to the modification of the law now in force. It is not known what changes will be proposed. Many Senators suppose they will be such as to relieve the President from his present embarrassments. It seems a majority of the Senators are opposed to a total repeal of the law, and desire to retain its principles, but think some provisions may be added which will render it generally satisfactory.

Charles Miller, colored, has been recommended by the South Carolina Congressional delegation for postmaster at Columbia.

The statement from Charleston that General Henningson is commanding the American expedition to Cuba is incorrect. That gentleman is now at Washington.

The representative of the Cuban provisional government is expected here to-morrow.

Private letters received here from Cubans represent the cause of the insurgents to be favorable, and consider it impossible that the Spaniards will suppress the insurrection. The insurgents maintain themselves in more than half the island outside of the principal cities. Their number is constantly increasing.

NEW YORK, March 23.—The *Tribune's* Washington special says the Senate Judiciary Committee will report a new tenure of-office bill, not applying to members of the Cabinet, and allowing the President to make removals without assigning his reasons, leaving the Senate to make such explanation as it pleases, while during the recess he may suspend and appoint at pleasure, submitting his action to the Senate twenty days after reassembling.

Senor Lemos, Plenipotentiary for the Cuban revolutionists' Government, reports the insurgent army one thousand strong, well drilled and well supplied with arms lately received from the United States. Many Americans interested in the revolution profess great confidence that the Administration will soon assume a friendly attitude toward the Provisional Government.

Considerable numbers of Quakers have visited the President to consult about Indian affairs. It is fully known that Grant intends to appoint Gen. Ely Parker Commissioner of Indian Affairs, and remove at least three-fourths of the Indian Agents and appoint a majority of Quakers.

In the House the Judiciary Committee have agreed not to report any bills involving general legislation.

WASHINGTON, March 23.—The President to-day nominated J. Bancroft Davis for Assistant Secretary of State. He also made a number of revenue appointments. The President has made a number of appointments of midshipmen at the naval academy.

Lewis Downey, chief of the Cherokees, in a memorial calls the attention of Congress to the recent treaties which have been made with the various Indian tribes with the view of settling them on Cherokee lands. These are made in plain violation of the treaty of 1866. He says the Cherokees earnestly desire to carry out the provisions of that treaty with the utmost good faith, but he fears it will be beyond his power to restrain the Cherokees from resisting all encroachments of other Indians.

A bill introduced in the Senate to-day authorizes the Secretary of the Treasury, whenever he deems it for the public interest, to prepay the interest on the public debt for a period not exceeding one year, upon a rebate of interest at the rate of six per cent. per annum.

The Treasury Department has received information that the United States Marshal in Georgia has absconded with a hundred thousand dollars of the public money.

CHICAGO, March 23.—The *Republican's* Washington special says that Secretary Borie recommends the repeal of the eight hour law so far as it relates to the navy employees.

Miscellaneous.

NEW YORK, March 23.—Several passengers of the ship *James Foster* made affidavits yesterday, charging the carpenter with the murder of two persons, the boatswain with the murder of a seaman, and also alleged that the other officers of the ship were implicated in these murders. The first mate died at his residence in Brooklyn on last Sunday.

The newsboys at the Brooklyn Lodging House, yesterday, raised a rebellion because a negro boy was allowed to lodge in the house. The police quelled it.

Governor Hoffman has promised to preside at the Fenian reception of Warren and Costello.

James Fisk is negotiating for the purchase of the New York *Commercial Advertiser*. Fisk says he is determined to own at least two of the daily papers.

At a large meeting of the members of the Produce Exchange, resolutions were adopted favoring reform in the management of canals, and the improvement of canals to their maximum capacity for transportation, to reduce the cost of transportation and to prevent diversion of trade.

The report that Wm. Tweed, Jr., has been appointed Receiver of the Union Pacific Railroad, is erroneous. Tweed was temporarily appointed Receiver.

MEMPHIS, March 22.—A fight occurred between a body of disguised men and a squad of Federal soldiers at Batesville, Miss., on Saturday night. One of the maskers was captured after some sharp firing. The maskers were endeavoring to lynch a negro in the neighborhood.

It is reported that the Tennessee militia lost fifteen killed in an encounter with armed men at Hoodville but it is not fully confirmed. Considerable excitement prevails in the vicinity.

MEMPHIS, March 2[illegible].—The *Appeal's* Little Rock special says the Governor has notified the Legislature that martial law is removed in Crittenden county, the last one in the State, and recommending the reestablishment of the Court of Claims.

Both Houses agreed to adjourn on the 10th of April.

A Little Rock special says that Governor Clayton, of Arkansas, has directed all military prisoners in Crittenden county to be turned over to the civil authorities.

CHICAGO, March 23.—The *Tribune's* Omaha special says the Union Pacific railroad will commence running passengers and mail trains to Ogden on Thursday.

A dispatch from Georgetown, Colorado, says the greatest yield of silver for the number of tons ever worked in Colorado and the heaviest button of silver furnished in one cupel in America has been taken from the Brown companies lode. Twenty-nine tons of ore were reduced in one cupel yielding a button weighing 532 pounds. The silver was shipped to Philadelphia for coinage.

ST. LOUIS, March 23.—A movement is afloat in this and other cities to call an Irish National Convention. The object is to form a Central bureau in New York with auxiliary societies in all the States for the purpose of furnishing information to Irish desiring to settle in this country on the general plan of Emigrant Aid Societies.

General Custar was heard from on the 6th of March.

Twenty of Brigham Young's wives have arrived at Council Bluffs, including Miss Folsom, Brigham's latest fancy. They are all bound for Washington.

Steamers for the upper Missouri are repairing at Sioux City.

RICHMOND, March 23.—The police, last night, arrested Gov. Wells, H. C. Bond, Register in Bankruptcy, and L. E. Dudley, Secretary of the State Central Committee, on the charge of purloining a letter from the Post office, a letter written by the ex-Secretary of the Republican Central Committee to Edgar Allen, ex-member of the Constitutional Convention. The parties were taken before U. S. Commissioner Calhoun to-day, and gave bail to appear to-morrow.

BOSTON, March 23.—The Aldermen, after hearing remonstrances against the erection of a building on the Common for the Peace Jubilee, resolved to adhere to the original order granting the right.

CHARLESTON, S. C., March 22.—The *News* publishes a letter announcing the arrival in Cuba of an American expeditionary force in aid of the revolutionists. The force is said to be composed mainly of officers and men who served in the Federal and Confederate armies during the late war, and is commanded by Gen. Henningson, of Nicaragua fame.

Cuban Affairs.

HAVANA, March 22.—St. Thomas advices state that the Danish authorities, at the request of the Captain General of Porto Rico, have banished Dr. Betances, suspected of organizing an expedition claiming that the action of the authorities was illegal and that he was a United States citizen. In this he was supported by the American Consul.

The man whose arrest on Saturday caused such disturbance, proved to be a Cuban rebel, and was tried by court martial and shot. The Captain General has issued a proclamation to the citizens of Havana, in which he recites the facts in the case, and alludes to the lenient policy of the government in the banishment of many as culpable as the man shot.

HAVANA, March 22.—Advices from St. Domingo to the 10th report comparative quiet around the capitol, but arrests and executions are frequent in the extreme eastern portion. The insurgents are very troublesome. The Government has declared martial law in the province of Ziebes Fabens. A special commission of the Dominican Government to Washington carries instructions to rent the bay of Samana to the United States. The sugar market is greatly excited in Porto Rico. The Government has imposed additional export duties on sugar and molasses.

HAVANA, March 22.—A skirmish near Trinidad resulted in the killing of the rebel General Schmidt.

The *Press* reports that twenty five insurgents, mostly of high rank, were captured and executed near Trinidad, but the insurrection in that quarter is more serious than it has hitherto appeared.

The *Eco*, at Mantanzas, professed to have information that Florence Jiminez, a rebel General, presented himself to the Spanish authorities for pardon. He says other leaders of the revolutionary Junta at Villa Clara will follow his example provided their lives are spared.

Haytien news of the 18th says that Salnave has been defeated by the rebels, with a loss of one hundred men.

BY ATLANTIC CABLE.

PARIS, March 23.—Gen. Almonte, formerly a Mexican General, is dead.

LONDON, March 24.—The debate on the disestablishment bill was resumed last night. Spencer H. Walpole, member for Cambridge University, opposed the bill. The Odonoghue member from Tralee, made a fervent speech in its favor. Hardy followed and said Gladstone had pledged himself and his followers to the destruction of all that was most sacred to the church, urged by envy and jealousy. Gladstone concluded the debate and reviewed the course of the bill and the arguments pro and con. He declared the new policy was necessary for Ireland, this was the first step demanded by the unanimous voice of the majority. Gladstone resumed his seat amid deafening cheers. The House divided on the motion to read the bill a second time, 165 ayes to 270 noes. The majority for Government 102. The announcement was greatly cheered in the House. The cheers were taken up in the lobbies. The news was thus conveyed to the immense crowd outside who joined in the cheering with the wildest enthusiasm. The House at 2 P. M. adjourned till April 1st.

MADRID, March 24.—The Guard Mobile has been organized in Andalusia to enforce the conscription and collection of taxes.

OUR SAN FRANCISCO DISPATCH

SAN FRANCISCO, March 24.—About 4 o'clock this morning police officers Finnegan and Dalley attempted to arrest Andy alias Doctor Johnson and a confederate upon suspicion of burglary. Johnson was arrested but the other fellow shot officer Dalley through the leg and escaped.

The steamer *John L. Stephens* arrived this afternoon from Sitka. The *Stephens* was seized at Sitka, on her recent voyage, by acting Commissioner Ketchum, on the ground of an alleged infraction of the revenue laws, for landing government and sutler stores at Forts Tongas and Wrangel which are not ports of entry. The stores were landed under a special permit from the Secretary of the Treasury, therefore the affair will not prove to be a serious one.

A. H. How was to-day convicted of murder in the first degree for killing Tong Man. It is the murder case which grew out of trouble connected with the recent importation of Chinamen.

The sudden death of Geo. C. Harriman, noted yesterday, is stated to have been the result of suicide from financial difficulty. An inquest will be held.

In the case of Robert Lyons, who died while being turned out of the Empire lodging house the coroner's jury found that his death was hastened by Jas. Mason, who ejected him.

The following telegram was received by F. M. Smith:

Ten tons of delayed mail matter arrived at the end of the C. P. R. R. track to-day and left for Sacramento at [illegible] M. It will probably reach San Francisco to-morrow.

NEVADA

VIRGINIA, March 2[illegible].—The large shaft of the main driving wheel of the Gould & Curry pumping engine was broken yesterday. It will delay work for eight or ten days.

Reports are published of the operations and prospects of the Yellow Jacket and Savage mines.

The small pox appears to have taken a fresh start. Four new cases were reported yesterday.

The weather continues pleasant.

There is considerable excitement over the struggle of the express companies for the best time between Reno and this city. Wells, Fargo & Co. has been beaten but once since the Union Pacific was started. It is now rumored that the latter company will do their best to win in the future. It is also said that Wells, Fargo & Co. intend to preserve their well-earned reputation. In a few days, probably, arrangements will be perfected for some fast racing. To-night Wells, Fargo & Co's pony arrived at 5 o'clock 2 minutes time from Reno, 44 minutes, distance, 12½ miles, leading the Union Pacific pony about five minutes. Wells, Fargo & Co. shipped last evening [illegible] pounds of bullion, valued at $2,594,-[illegible]. The Union Pacific Co. shipped 5 bars; value $[illegible]; total shipment, $3,304,973.

Night before last another steel cable broke in the Imperial Empire shaft letting a 600 gallon tank full of water fall to the bottom of the shaft, a distance of 80 feet.

GENERAL PARAGRAPHS.

By Overland Mail.

From the Springfield (Mass.) Republican.

We are not half so grateful to Congress for forbidding its members to sell out their franking privilege and to print their names instead of writing them on letters and documents, as we are for the vote in the Senate so nearly abolishing the whole thing. With only two-thirds of the Senators present, there were but two majority against Mr. Conkling's proposition to abrogate the privilege entirely. It is not the abuse of the thing half so much as the thing itself that we quarrel with; and this vote of the Senate insures its early abolition. We rejoice that Mr. Conkling has taken up this reform so earnestly, and hope he will keep at work at it till it is accomplished. Mr. Sumner sticks to the aristocratic privilege as he sticks to a good many other old things; for, except with reference to the colored man, he is eminently conservative; but his colleague, always more practical and consistent in his reforming spirit, votes against it. We need in this country a universal crusade against "deadheadism," and the franking privilege is one of its most conspicuous and inexcusable illustrations. We can only maintain cheap postage and a self-sustaining postoffice by the double rule of making everything pay, and pay in advance.

SOCIAL GOSSIP.

[Washington Letter (Feb. 26) to N. Y. Times.]

Gen. Grant and Mrs. Grant called, yesterday, on Mrs. Benjamin F. Butler—not on the General, as the dispatches this morning had it. At the time of the call the General was in the House, speaking on the army bill, and replying "Yes" to the query, "Did he mean to nominate General Grant for the Presidency in 1872?" A singular coincidence, but not at all significant. I learn from good authority that overtures for a social peace and recognition have been persistently made by Butler for some weeks past, and so importunately that General and Mrs. Grant have been compelled, for the sake of etiquette, to respond, and hence the visit.

CHICAGO HORRORS.

The latest scandal in Chicago is the trial of Dr. Charles Earl, a well known physician, on a charge of murdering infants, both before and after birth. The complainant and principal witness against him is his ex-wife. Several years ago Dr. Earl married a young widow, but as they could not get along together she procured a divorce. Subsequently, for the sake of her child, she consented to live in the doctor's house, but declined to cohabit with him. He renewed overtures of marriage, and hurt her feelings so much that she was constrained to go before the district attorney and charge him with being an abortionist. In her affidavit she alleges that the doctor killed several infants, among them a child of a Mrs. Lobdell, whom he choked to death a few hours after birth. He disposed of his victims by burning them in his grate. The affidavits of a sister of the prisoner and other persons are published in which they assert that Mrs. Earl is notoriously given to lying and has the temper of a fiend; and altogether the case is one of the strangest of the many strange cases that Chicago has furnished.

JOHNSON'S LAST NOMINATIONS.

[From the N. Y. Sun, April 25.]

Among numerous nominations sent to the Senate by the President on Thursday, were the following: Col. Nathan W. Brown, Assistant Paymaster General, to be Paymaster General of the army in place of General Brice, retired; Lieut. Col. Hiram Leonard, Deputy Paymaster General; Major Benjamin Alvord, Paymaster to be Deputy Paymaster General; Col. Edward D. Townsend, Assistant Adjutant General, to be Adjutant General, in place of Lorenzo Thomas, retired; Lieut. Col. Richard C. Dunn, Assistant Adjutant General, to be Assistant Adjutant General with the rank of Colonel, in place of Townsend promoted; Lieut Cols. Morris C. Miller and Langdon C. Easton, Deputy Quartermaster Generals, to be Assistant Quartermasters; Lieut. Col. Charles W. McDougall, Assistant Medical Purveyor, to be Chief Medical Purveyor in place of Satterlee, retired. Lieut. Col. Henry B. Clitz, of the 7th Infantry, to be Col. of the 10th Infantry, in place of Alexander, retired; Lieut. Col. Samuel W. Crawford, of the 2d Infantry, to be Colonel of the 17th Infantry, in place of Sibley, retired; Lieut. Col. William H. Wood, of the 1st Infantry, to be Col. of the 17th Infantry, in place of Heintzleman, retired.

STATE OF SUPERIOR.

The Senate of Wisconsin has passed a resolution giving the assent of that State to the formation of a new State "from that portion of Wisconsin lying north of the line commencing at the mouth of the Menominee River, thence running up the center of said river until it strikes the dividing line of townships number 30 and 31 (per Lapham's map of Wisconsin), thence west on said line to the center of the Mississippi river, and that portion of the State of Michigan bordering on the same, and on Lake Superior and Michigan and Green Bay." The population of the Territory proposed to be ceded is very sparse; but the country is covered with dense forests of pine. For agricultural purposes it is not regarded as worth much but for lumber it is of great value. The upper peninsula of Michigan, called the Lake Superior region, it is proposed to unite with the Wisconsin cession. The two will make a State of about the area of Indiana.

NAPOLEON AGAIN.

If the world is not tired of hearing of Napoleon Bonaparte's sayings and doings in exile, it may find fresh material in a new work consisting of a journal by the late Major General Sir Neil Campbell, some time British commissioner at Elba. Had General Campbell's plans been better laid, Waterloo might have been saved. "In case," he writes in his journal, "of Napoleon quitting Elba, and any of his vessels being discovered with troops on board, military stores, or provisions, I shall request Captain Ayde to intercept and in case of their offering the slightest resistance to *destroy them*. I am confident that both he and I will be justified by our sovereign, our country and the world in proceeding to any extremity upon our own responsibility in a case of so extraordinary a nature." In one of his interviews with General Campbell, Bonaparte said that England had not acted generously in prosecuting the war against America, but showed a spirit of inveterate revenge. "It weakened her voice at present at the Congress, so great a portion of her force being absent from Europe. The Americans would gradually improve and we should have to be satisfied to make peace without having gained any accession of strength [illegible] character after standing lately so high in the eyes of all Europe, would diminish by the sort of warfare in which we indulged against private property, burning vessels, storehouses, &c."

CONSUMPTION OF BEEF.

[From the N. Y. Sun.]

Hon. J. Stanton Gould in a paper on the cattle disease before the Social Science Convention in Albany said that but few persons had an intelligent conception of the meat question. The consumption of beef in France was 910,000 tons, England [illegible],600,000 tons and in the United States, 2,000,000 tons. One of the principal sources of supply of cattle to the Eastern States and New York was Texas. When the war broke out Texas had only [illegible] of cattle. The total supposed value of all the cattle in the United States was $[illegible] and the total annual consumption amounted to $50,000,000. In New York alone there was $32,000,000 worth of meat annually consumed besides 7,000,000 pounds of butter valued at $[illegible], [illegible] pounds of cheese valued at $14,000,000 and 29,000,000 gallons of milk, valued at $7,000,000; total, $55,-[illegible]. While such enormous consumption was going on with a regularity of supply which was marvelous the articles of supply passed through the hands of many traders. He thought, therefore, that the interests of the community imperatively demanded some legislation for the protection of the public.